RAILROADS.

Memphis and Charleston Railroad

Schedule After September 16, 1877.

	Leave:	Arrive:
Mail and Express train daily	11:50 p.m.	5:45 p.m.
Somerville train daily (except Sunday) at	5:00 p.m.	8:18 a.m.

Time 30 minutes Faster than City Time.
Somerville Train will stop at Regular and Flag stations.
The 11:50 p.m. train makes the quickest time ever made to Chattanooga, Knoxville, Lynchburg, Washington, and the East, and will stop at all Regular Stations, and at Flag Stations when flagged, except Flag Stations between Collierville and Memphis.
Ticket Office—278 Main street and at Depot Memphis and Charleston Railroad.
JOHN A. GRANT, Chief Engineer and Gen'l Sup't.
T. S. DAVANT, Assistant General Passenger Agent.

Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.

ON and after MONDAY, Sept. 3, 1877, trains will run as follows:

	Leave.	Arrive.
New Orleans Mail daily at	3:00 p.m	1:17 p.m
Scotia accommodation daily (except Sundays) at	11:30 a.m	9 a.m
Freight and accommodation daily (except Sundays), at	6:30 a.m	5:00 p.m

Close connections made at Grenada with trains North and South for all points.

☞ For further information, apply to

Ticket Office, 287 Main St., and at Depot.
M. Burke, Superintendent.
James Speed, Ticket Agent.

Louisville and Nashville and Great Southern Railroad.

11:41 p.m. Night Express—(Daily, except Saturday.)—Connects at Milan for St. Louis and Chicago; at McKenzie for Nashville, Chattanooga, Atlanta and the Southeast; at Guthrie for Hopkinsville, Henderson and Evansville; at Louisville for all points North and East.
1:10 p.m. Day Express—Connects for St. Louis and Chicago; at Louisville for all points North and East.
4:40 p.m. Paris Accommodation—Daily except Sunday.

Arrival of Trains.

Express	4:10 p.m
Mail	7:55 a.m
Accommodation	1:00 p.m

Pullman Palace Cars on either train to Louisville, and on night train to Nashville.
For tickets or information, apply at Ticket Office, 287 Main, northwest corner Madison street.
Jas. Montgomery, Sup't Memphis Div.
James Speed, Ticket Agent.

MEMPHIS & LITTLE ROCK RAILWAY

The Short Line to Arkansas and Texas.

TIME CARD.

	LEAVE:	ARRIVE:
Mail train, daily	5:00 p.m.	11:30 p.m
Freight train leaves M. & L. R. R. depot (Sunday ex)	7:00 a.m.	

Passenger going on this road will take trains at the Depot of the Louisville, Nashville and Great Southern railroad.
Mail train makes close connection at Argenta for points on Little Rock and Fort Smith Railroad, and at Little Rock with Cairo and Fulton Railroad, for points in Southwest Arkansas and Texas.
Pullman Palace Cars on all night trains.
For tickets and information apply at Ticket-offices 278 and 287 Main street, and at the Depot, foot of Washington street, or at L. and N. and G. So. Depot, or to the undersigned.
W. E. SMITH, Sup't., Memphis, Tenn.
R. A. WILLIAMS, Passenger Agent.
M. S. JAY, G. P. and T. A., Little Rock.

AMUSEMENTS.

MEMPHIS THEATER.
DAVEY & BROOKS...Prop'rs | JOHN RICKABY...Man'gr
Grand Opening of Fall and Winter Season
MONDAY, OCTOBER 1st.
KELLY & LEON'S FAMOUS MINSTRELS
And Burlesque Opera Troupe!
The Most Refined Minstrel Organization in Existence
For Five Nights and Saturday Matinee!
☞ Treasury Frank Gray will commence the sale of Reserved Seats, at Helzenberg's Music Store, on Friday, September 28th, at 9 a.m.
MONDAY, OCTOBER 8TH,
John Dillon and Stoddart Comedy Co.

BASE-BALL! BENEFIT GAME! A match game will be played between the RIVERSIDES and EAGLES, at Central Park, SUNDAY EVENING, Sept. 30th, the proceeds to be appropriated for the benefit of RICHARD MARSH.
Tickets—50 cents. Game commences at 3 o'clock. An interesting game is assured, as the clubs are evenly matched.

TAKEN UP.

TWO COWS—Were taken up, corner of Front and Walker streets, Fort Pickering; one a large red and white; the other, a small white cow.

MULE—On the Wildbenger place, one stray horse mule.

ROOMS AND BOARD.

ROOMS—Furnished rooms, with or without board, at 111 Adams street.

ELEGANT Front and Back Rooms at 110 Court street; also, day board at $20 per month.

ROOMS—Desirable rooms, with board, at 117 Court street.

ROOM—Newly furnished front room, to gentlemen or family, with board; reference required.

FRONT and back rooms, furnished or unfurnished; day-boarders wanted, at 104 Court st.

FOR SALE.

25 FEET of glass Partitions, cheap. Apply H. G. HOLLENBERG, 294 Main st.

PLANTATIONS—In Bolivar county, Mississippi—The LEE PLACE, 624 acres, about half cleared; gin and quarters; high and well secured from overflow.
THE BELLANY PLACE, five miles from Beulah; adjoins plantations of Col. N. S. White, of Memphis, and the Coleman's; about 700 acres were well cleared and cultivated, but abandoned since the war; buildings all destroyed; secured from overflow. This may be divided into two or more tracts to suit purchasers.
Also, some lands on Bayou Phelia, partly improved. All these will be sold cheap, with a cash payment.
CHAS. CLARK, Riverton, Miss.

BUGGY—Very low; nice Top-buggy and Harness. JOHN C. HILLS, Cotton-shed, No. 160 Court street.

VANCE-STREET LOT—Nearly opposite St. Agnes seminary; at a bargain for cash. Apply to HENRY WHITE, Appeal office.

LAND—320 acres of land; or will exchange for house furnishing dry goods or groceries; or will trade to a mechanic to build a house. Address T. J. S., care Owen, McNutt & Bailey.

HORSES—Pair of gentle and fast horses, cheap. Apply at 332 Front street, up-stairs.

WANTS.

SITUATION AS FOREWOMAN—In millinery or dressmaking; can take entire charge of one or both branches; long experience; satisfaction guaranteed. Address MRS. R. NEICOLA, Louisville, Ky.

SEWING, WASHING AND IRONING—At the Navy-yard Mission; quilting made a specialty. Any orders may be left at the Mission, No. 98 Promenade street; or at the Intelligence office, 158 Main.

GIRL—14 to 18 years old. Apply to MRS. MENKEN, 14 Talbot st.

GOOD MILCH COWS—Cheap. Address SAM JONES, 317 Main st.

COOK AND NURSE—Good references required, to go to country. Apply at 248 Second street, between 7 and 8 o'clock in morning; white preferred.

SITUATION—As Book-keeper or Salesman; has had over twenty years experience in the trade of West Tennessee and North Mississippi. Address BLUFF CITY, this office.

HORSES TO BOARD—A few more boarding horses, at $15 per month, at 403 Second street. E. KECK & BRO.

YOU to know that I am prepared to do Papering, at reasonable prices. Decorating a specialty. E. FREDRICK, 279 Second st., opp. Appeal.

GOOD TINNER—Steady job for a good workman. W. H. LEAGUE, Somerville, Tenn.

THE LADIES TO KNOW—That we have just received the celebrated Glove-Fitting Burar Patterns in all the latest styles. Call and examine them at the Wilson Sewing-Machine Parlors, 272 Second street, opposite Court Square.

LADIES' FELT AND STRAW HATS—To shape in the fall styles. Special prices to merchants and milliners. Reshaping ladies' felt hats made a specialty. W. GOODYEAR, 3½ Second street.

FOR RENT.

HOUSE—The 2-story frame house, 275 Poplar street, containing 8 rooms, on reasonable terms. Apply at 273 Poplar street.

COTTAGE—On M'Kinley street, near St. Agnes academy, with or without furniture; low rent to good tenant. Apply at 71 Adams street.

RESIDENCE—That desirable residence, 8 large rooms, 482 Main, bet. Linden and Pontotoc. C. W. FRAZER, 172 Main, or 27 South Court.

HOUSE—Of four rooms and kitchen; large yard; rent $15. Apply at 225 Elliott.

OFFICES AND SLEEPING-ROOMS—Elegant offices and sleeping-rooms in the Planters Insurance Building, Nos. 39 and 41 Madison street. Apply at office Planters Insurance Co.

ROOMS—Neatly furnished; cheap. 417 MAIN ST.

RESIDENCE—A desirable two-story brick residence with ten rooms, No 81 Linden st. Apply to THOS. FISHER, at Emmet bank.

COTTAGE—Five rooms and outhouses, near Hernando street cars. Apply at 230 Vance street.

STOREROOM—97 South Court street. Apply to R. R. SNOWDEN, 38 Madison st.

DWELLINGS AND STOREHOUSES—Apply to Minor Mertwether, 35 Madison street.

A LADY will rent sufficient excellent furniture for four rooms in payment for her board. Apply before 10 a.m., at 242 Desoto street.

HOUSE—Of five rooms, besides kitchen and servants' room; large lot. Apply at DOUD'S Bookstore, or 121 Alabama st.

134 FRONT street. Apply to THOS. FISHER, at the Emmet Bank.

TWO-STORY BRICK—No. 358 Washington street. Apply at 356, corner of Orleans street.

ROOMS—Furnished or unfurnished, at Perry House, 43 Poplar st. MRS. C. P. FREEMAN

DISSOLUTION.

THE firm of Phelan & Murphy was dissolved by mutual consent September 10th, Mr. Ben. Phelan retiring.

NEW FIRM. B. F. MURPHY and B. F. MURPHY, under the style of Murphy & Murphy, will continue the Marble and Stone business.

AUCTION.

Constable's Sale of Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes.
AT A. M. STODDARD'S,
Friday Morning, Sept. 28th, 10 o'clock.
T. S. MALLORY, C. S. C.

A. M. STODDARD.
GENERAL AUCTIONEER,
228 MAIN STREET.
☞ Sales Daily of Goods of Every Description. ☜

A. E. FRANKLAND,
AUCTION AND COMMISSION MERCHANT.
306 Main Street, opp. Peabody Hotel.

TRADE SALES of Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Dry Goods, Hosiery, Clothing, Furniture, Carpets, Groceries, Etc., made daily.
☞ GOODS AT PRIVATE SALE. ☜

STRAYED.

HORSE—From Linden street, on the evening of September 25th, one large bay horse, about 12 years old. Both knees slightly grubed. A reward will be paid for his return to 264 Second street.

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

—The October term of the chancery court convenes Monday.

—The Brown mandamus tax injunction is still before the United States court.

—The reunion of the Thirteenth and One Hundred and Fifty-fourth at Estival park tomorrow will be a grand affair.

—From six o'clock yesterday morning to twelve o'clock last night no arrests were made by the police. The city is remarkably quiet.

—Mrs. Nancy Smith, who lived south of this city, committed suicide yesterday morning by hanging herself. She was buried by Undertaker Walsh.

—In the chancery court, yesterday, Annie Boylan, colored, filed a bill of divorce against her husband, John Boylan, colored, charging him with drunkenness, etc.

—The hunting party which went to Arkansas recently have returned. The party killed four hundred and forty prairie chickens, two hundred and fifty quails and eight deer.

—The Chickasaw Guards and Bluff City Grays will act as an escort upon the occasion of the reunion of the Thirteenth and One Hundred and Fifty-fourth Tennessee regiments at Estival park to-morrow.

—Night before last a thunderbolt struck a kitchen on Colonel Lyles's premises, Trigg avenue, and killed a fine mare belonging to his son, Charles Lyles. The lightning first struck an oak tree, when it descended downward and tore off a considerable portion of the kitchen.

—A number of butchers met last night in a room on Main street, near Exchange. The object of the meeting was to consider such measures as the butchers deem necessary for the protection of their interests. While the meeting was under the public, it is understood that the butchers adopted a resolution petitioning the city council to protect their rights.

—Jim Jackson, Tom Buford and Frank Ferguson, all colored, are on trial in the criminal court to answer an indictment charging them with stealing twenty-eight barrels of flour from the Memphis and St. Louis packet company. Detectives M'Cune and Pryde, who arrested the parties, recovered eight barrels of the flour, which was stolen from the elevator.

—At the meeting of the Memphis law class last night, Judge Heiskell delivered an interesting and instructive lecture upon *Greenleaf on Evidence*. Judge Heiskell's lecture was a worthy contribution to the instruction and entertainment of the studious gentlemen who compose the Memphis law class. At the meeting next Monday night Major E. S. Hammond will lecture upon *Property in General*, as set forth by Blackstone.

—Recorder Duff yesterday disposed of the following cases: Sarah Johnson, black, larceny; bail $500; Val Edmondson, black, filtapping, bail $500; Francis Foster, black, assault and battery, case continued for trial; Wesley Moore, black, bringing stolen property into the State, bail $1000; Kate Sherman, white, malicious trespass, bail $250; Manly Benson, *alias* Burt, black, accessory to murder, committed for examination.

—The treasury department warns all business people against a new counterfeit five dollar bill. Trades people are warned to closely scrutinize every five dollar bill offered by strangers. The most dangerous, and consequently the best, counterfeit now out is one upon the issue of one thousand dollar greenbacks of 1869. Seven of these one thousand dollar bills have been captured by the secret service, but as yet no traces of the operator who makes them have been found.

—The case of Jacob Hirsch, arrested on the charge of violating the cotton ordinance, was decided by Recorder Duff yesterday. The recorder rules that as Mr. Hirsch had taken out his license subsequent to the passage of this ordinance, he must comply with the same, which requires cash dealers in loose cotton to give bond in the sum of one thousand dollars, keep a book to record therein the name of each seller of loose cotton, the quantity of each purchase, and keep said book at all times open to the inspection of the special police.

—The Holly Springs *Reporter* pays us this handsome compliment in its last issue: "On the first of September the excellent journal made an issue that was alike a credit to its managers and an honor to its many years of useful and progressive enterprise. It is a newspaper that is identified with every interest of our section and our people. Our fathers subscribed for it years ago. Its doctrine then was theirs, its cause their cause, and for many seasons it has been a true and zealous friend. Its subscription list is a large one here, and we hope to see it increased double during the coming season."

PERSONAL.

JUDGE JOHN M. CARMACK, we are happy to say, is recovering from his illness.

GENERAL FRANK CHEATHAM will attend the Confederate reunion at Estival park tomorrow.

DR. M. C. CURRY, an estimable gentleman and well-known citizen of Nashville, is in the city.

JUDGE L. D. M'KISSICK yesterday returned from Knoxville, where he has been attending the supreme court.

MISS ROSE DOHERTY, of Stewart & Doherty, has our thanks for a late number of the Londonderry (Ireland) *Journal*.

GENERAL N. B. FORREST, now at Bailey Springs, Alabama, is rapidly recuperating, and will return home in a few days.

THE many friends of Hon. Casey Young will regret to learn the death of his niece, at Byhalia, Mississippi, a few days ago.

THE visitors registered at the cotton exchange yesterday were: George S. Mitchell, New Albany, Mississippi; R. G. Meacham, Senatobia, Mississippi; J. M. Parker, New Orleans; T. Kelly, Moulton; G. B. Hicks, Trenton, Tennessee.

RT. REV. BISHOP QUINTARD has presented to Vanderbilt university, Nashville, six copies of *Paley's Evidences* and *Horæ Paulinæ*, with notes, questions, etc. The present is valuable and opportune, as *Paley* is a text-book in the department of systematic theology in Vanderbilt university. Prof. Brown was made the medium of the bishop's present.

The death of Mrs. Ratcliff, whose funeral from St. Mary's cathedral drew together so large a concourse of mourning friends, was one of the saddest events of the year. The disease to which she fell a prey, and her peculiar condition, mark an occurrence that at any time would excite a more than ordinary sympathy, as a sorrow which reaches far beyond the circle where her love and kinship had made for her an enduring memory. The daughter of one of our oldest friends and one of the best citizens Memphis has ever known, our sympathies by her sudden death are drawn out in a sense beyond that which ordinarily waits upon a family bereavement. A loving and devoted wife, a true mother and dutiful daughter, Mrs. Ratcliff was also the idol of a large circle which embraced the most cultured and the best people of Memphis. An event which intensified the sorrow attendant upon the funeral of Mrs. Ratcliff was the announcement of the death, at Little Rock, yesterday, of Mrs. Robert Carnes, a lady well known in Memphis, whose husband was a cousin of the lady whose death we sincerely regret.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

The Last, we Hope, of a Fruitless Controversy.

EDITORS APPEAL—Having seen in your edition of Wednesday what purports to be, but is not, an answer to "A Democrat," I wish to reply to it, in what shall be my last, unless your "Mechanic" shows more sense in his letters than he does at present. He is making a great cry about Radicalism in the Workingmen's party, and as much as says that any man who has voted the Republican ticket cannot be a workingman, while the fact is that himself and a few of his friends succeeded in forcing the nomination for the position of president of the Central club on Mr. J. E. Merriman at the first public meeting heard accused of being a Radical politician. The workingmen do not care what ticket any man has voted, provided he labors honestly in any capacity to make his living, and is willing to co-operate with them in trying to have equitable laws passed and equally enforced for the benefit of all, both rich and poor alike. I do not know of any "slang" being used in my letter of last Saturday, or abuse, either, unless facts are construed in that manner. I know where those articles came from, but have heard of persons getting other parties to assume the responsibility of articles which the author did not wish to assume; it may be the same in this case. I do not know of any Radical wire-pulling in any of the ward meetings that I have attended; and if "Mechanic" does, he should have their names published, and then they would get put down, as they were at the last meeting at Cochran hall. As for our central committee, I do not think there is a politician of either party on it, and I do not think there is a man on it ashamed or afraid to name his occupation or say what ticket he voted, if it should ever be necessary for him to do so. If any workingman in this city has so little sense that the fault-finding of a disappointed man can keep him out of this movement, he is not wanted in it. The workingmen will show the politicians of both parties that they cannot ride into office with their votes at the next election. The above is facts, and not slang, as will be shown when the right time comes. A DEMOCRAT.

AMUSEMENTS.

Kelly & Leon's Minstrels.

Kelly & Leon's minstrels begin a week's engagement Monday night at the Memphis Theater, which is being repaired and otherwise improved. This minstrel troupe is one of the best and most interesting that ever appeared in Memphis. Kelly & Leon will give entertainments worthy the patronage of our best people.

Miss Grace Lewellyn.

Miss Grace Lewellyn, the charming *debutante*, who has already won the admiration of the people of Memphis, will appear next month in the charming play known as the *Pearl of Savoy*. The piece is being well rehearsed.

The Bohemian Girl.

The opera of the *Bohemian Girl* is being actively rehearsed by our excellent amateur company, and will be presented to the public next month. The chorus will doubtless surpass in artistic merit any ever rendered by the amateurs of Memphis.

Dancing Academy.

The friends and patrons of Mrs. DeGray Bennett will be glad to learn that she has fitted up an elegant hall at No. 299 Main street, where she will open the fall session of her school on Saturday, September 29th, to which she invites all her patrons and children. Her gentlemen's class will begin Thursday, October 11th, at half-past seven o'clock.

LAW REPORTS.

Circuit Court—Heiskell, Judge.

The Finnie-Myers case will occupy the attention of the court until two o'clock to-day, when the call of the calendar will be resumed. The following cases are added, viz: No. 4417, Beggan vs. Lanahan; 4364, Jones vs. Logwood.

Criminal Court—Logwood, Judge.

The following cases are set for trial to-day: 140, Hans Margerum; 140, Fred Seymour; 141, Jeff Logan; 142, George Perkins; 376, William Webb; 385, Thomas Ford; 356, Henry Jones; 380, D. M'Intyre; 398, Annie Keely.

THE BULL'S-EYE

Is Shot at by Members of the Memphis Rifle Club—The Prize is Won by Arthur Merriman.

Yesterday the members of the Memphis rifle club had a shooting-match on the Arkansas sand-bar, opposite this city. From the score, which we give below, it will be seen that the shooting was not indicative of the well-known talent of the gentlemen who entered yesterday's contest, which was for a rifle worth seventy-five dollars. The small score is due to the fact that the rifle used had not been ranged, and was therefore not familiar to the contestants. Out of the possible twenty-five, Mr. Merriman made a score of nineteen, the range being one hundred and twenty-five yards. We hope the Memphis rifle club will continue its practice, for its members are among the most accurate shots in the city. A little practice, and some acquaintance with the reliability of the rifle used, will enable this club to contest with any organization in the south. The following was

YESTERDAY'S SCORE.

P. C. Rogers	0 2 4 5 4—15.
T. Cunningham	2 4 0 3 0—11.
F. J. Quigley	2 5 0 3 3—15.
B. P. Anderson	0 3 0 0 2— 5.
James Reilley	3 0 0 0 0— 3.
J. B. Campbell	4 5 2 3 3—15.
Arthur Merriman	3 5 4 4 3—19.
S. J. M'Dowell	0 2 4 2 0— 8.
Charles Leland	3 0 0 4 3—10.
Tom Garvey	3 4 5 0 2—14.
F. J. Kelly	0 2 4 3 0— 9.
Richard Capers	0 0 0 0 0— 0.
S. S. Walker	0 4 4 3 3—14.
P. Cunningham	0 0 0 0 0— 0.
C. L. Anderson	2 2 3 0 4—11.

Dooley's Yeast Powder

Is prepared on scientific principles, and from ingredients that are the most effective and wholesome. It has received the highest encomiums for these merits from eminent chemists, scores of our best physicians, and thousands of intelligent cooks and housewives. The genuine can be had only in tin cans.

Everybody Read This!

—Just Received—

A fresh shipment of the

Great Unlaundried Shirts,

The best shirt in the world for eighty-five cents. Come early, if you want any, at 327 Main street, J. D. Williams's old stand.

JUST received, fresh oysters in the shell, at Vincent Botto's, corner of Washington and Front streets.

READ Kahn & Freiberg's advertisement.

Wonderful Bargains

in boys' and children's clothing at the *Great Western Clothing House*.

Ladies drawers, tucked and Ruffled. Leubrie's.

Invitation to the Reunion on the 29th Instant.

Persons entitled to receive invitations to the reunion barbecue on the twenty-ninth instant, and have failed to get them, can obtain the same to-day by application to Major J. P. Trezevant, No. 19 Madison street, or at the gate at Estival park on Saturday.

Bargains in underwear this week. Leubrie's.

THERE will be a social re-union of the Ladies' christian association, at the residence of Judge T. W. Brown, 392 Poplar street, on the afternoon and evening of Friday, twenty-eighth instant. Informal reception from four to ten o'clock in the evening. Brief statement of progress and prospects at half-past eight o'clock. No charges, but a box for "free-will" offerings." Object—support of temporary lodging-rooms, 158 Main street. All contributors and friends of the work are cordially invited. By order of the president.
MRS. ANGUS CAMPBELL, Cor. Sec'y.

Ladies' skirts at 90c (18 tucks) at Leubrie's.

GERMAN in the primary department of Miss Conway's school without extra charge. Prof. Witzman, teacher.

LADIES, skirts, tucks, 60c. Leubrie's.

The Latest Styles

In furniture, carpets, oil-cloths, shades and lace-curtains, at prices that cannot fail to please close purchasers, at BRYSON & CAMP'S.

Just Received,

This morning, by express, a fresh lot of perch, Mackinaw trout, redemanper and oysters, at 278 Second street, opposite Court square.

THE best tuning and repairing of pianos and organs is done at H. G. HOLLENBERG's music-house, 294 Main street. All work guaranteed, and at prices to suit.

Ladies chemise, embroidered, 50c. Leubrie's.

NEURALGIA.—"Neuri" cures it. Sold by G. W. Jones & Co., Memphis.

School Books and School Supplies

of all kinds at publisher's prices, at A. F. Dod & Co.'s, 279 Main street.

THE cheapest for the money, 55c embroidered chemise. LEUBRIE'S.

Best Assortment of Hats

At Leidy & Co.'s, 273½ Main street.

LADIES' skirts, ten tucks and ruffled, $1, at LEUBRIE'S.

DR. WM. F. STUART, Marine hospital, Baltimore: * * * "I take pleasure in recommending Colden's Liebig's liquid extract of beef as a most excellent tonic and invigorator of the system. I have tested it with unvarying success." W. N. Wilkerson &

EDUCATIONAL.

Names of Teachers to whom Certificates were Awarded, together with their Respective Averages—Report on Teachers

Who have been Assigned to Duty—Salaries of Teachers—Obligation or Contract Required of Teachers—Election of Visitors, Etc.

The board of education met at eight o'clock last night, Mr. Folkes presiding.

The minutes of last month's meeting were read and adopted.

Mr. Trezevant, as chairman of the committee reported that Mr. J. J. Tanner offered $3500 for the Main street building, $1500 to be paid cash, and the balance in six and twelve months, without interest. The report was adopted and the president was instructed to make the conveyance.

TEACHERS' CERTIFICATES.

Major Rhett, chairman of the committee, made the following report, which was adopted: Your committee would respectfully recommend that certificates be granted to the following applicants, who have all passed satisfactory examinations: Miss Lizzie Raine, average 81; Miss Esther Morgan, 80; Miss Lida M. Capps, 78; Mrs. M. S. Ashe, 75; Miss Cornelia Ross, 76; Miss Sallie Pecktel, 76; Miss Jennie Robinson, 75; Miss Alice Cook, 80; Miss Sallie Foute, 75; Mrs. Virginia Graves, 76; Miss M. Davidson, 76; Miss Victoria Armour (col.), 75; Miss Mary Graham, 75; Miss Fannie Doherty, 76.

REPORT ON TEACHERS.

The following report was also made by Major Rhett: Your committee respectfully nominate for positions in the white schools the following applicants for teachers: Misses Annie Gallagher, Lizzie Raine, Alice Cook, and Mrs. Hattie Lawrence; for assistant teachers: Mrs. Lada Capps and Florence Haley; for the colored teachers in the new school-building: James Lott (head teacher), Mrs. Julia A. Werles, Miss Victoria Armour. There may be other nominations required, and your committee request that until the next meeting be given them to report on the matter. The report was adopted.

SALARIES OF TEACHERS.

Mr. Godwin, chairman of the finance committee, made the following report, which was adopted:

Your committee, appointed to consider teachers' salaries, beg leave to report that we have considered the subject with our present financial condition, and would recommend that all salaries remain the same as for the past year. Our reason for this is because we have required all teachers and employes of the schools to enter into a contract to do faithful service for the board without having one dollar to pay them, and not knowing with any certainty when we will have it. We have also made them agree that the board may shorten the session at any time thought best. This not only places the teachers in a position they may suffer loss and inconvenience by not receiving their salaries for some considerable time. They also take the risk of being employed only five or six months during the year. It we should add to this a reduction of salaries it would look like injustice if not positive oppression. Respectfully submitted,
J. R. GODWIN, Chairman Finance Com.

OBLIGATION OF TEACHERS.

Mr. Godwin then presented the subjoined contract entered into by all the teachers in the city. Those absent will sign the contract as soon as they return:

We, the undersigned, principals, teachers and employes of the board of education of the Memphis city schools, do hereby bind ourselves and agree to perform the respective duties for which we may be employed in a satisfactory and efficient manner for the scholastic year next ensuing, and accept, in consideration therefor, our salaries in whole or in part, to be paid at such time as said board may be in funds, and at the discretion of said board; and it is also agreed on our part that the board may shorten the session of the schools as in their judgment it may be necessary for want of funds or otherwise.

Henrietta Hampton, Mary Hampton, Lizzie S. Taylor, Emma Pettit, T. C. Anderson, Mary J. M'Cain, Maria Robinson, O. A. Jenkins, M. E. Clouston, F. R. Hunt, Nellie Lee Barrow, L. B. Trent, Mattie Kunkle, C. H. Collier, Annie S. Wright, Lizzie Lyon, Annie C. Reudelhuber, Mollie F. Patton, F. W. Smith, M. B. Moon, E. J. Crockett, C. J. Hunter, Julia Bingham, K. E. Nevils, Carrie Reichenbacker, Alice Conaway, Cora H. Ashe, Emma S. Furbush, S. A. Murray, Jennie Dobbins, Mary F. M'Nally, Mary Kunkle, E. F. Cassels, S. H. Thompson, Ella W. Sabatsky, Retie Martin, Pauline H. Reudelhuber, M. Boddie, B. K. Sampson, Ada Richardson, Virginia E. Broughton.

This report was adopted.

The resignation of Miss Sue Murphy was read and accepted.

A communication from Mr. J. T. Trezevant, asking a modification of the rules relative to persons living beyond the corporate limits, was referred.

Mr. Randle, Dr. Saunders and Dr. Arrington were appointed a committee to select a person to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. S. B. Robbins, member from the second ward. Mr. C. W. Woodruff, being nominated, was elected.

Colonel Butler P. Anderson offered a resolution that the committees on teachers and finance report some rule to regulate the fixing of teachers' salaries.

The motion was tabled.

Major Rhett asked that the committee on teachers be permitted to exercise its discretion to give additional examinations to former or other applicants. Major Rhett said that the examination was very rigid, the minimum allowed being seventy-five. Out of thirty or thirty-two white applicants examined, nine passed. Only one colored teacher passed. The request was granted.

Adjourned.

The Soldiers' Reunion.

At a meeting of the members of the One Hundred and Fifty-fourth senior and Thirteenth Tennessee Confederate regiments, held last evening, the following named gentlemen were appointed as a committee to raise funds for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the reunion, which will take place Saturday next at Estival park: N. C. Perkins, R. W. Mitchell, R. A. Spicer and Alex Wooldridge. The committee will wait upon citizens to-day.

To the Ladies of Memphis.

The committee on supplies would most thankfully receive from the ladies any contributions in the way of bread or other edibles for the reunion on the twenty-ninth instant. All willing to contribute will send their donations to Estival park; B. J. Semmes & Co., 297 Main street; A. J. Vaugh & Co., 359 Front street, up to twelve o'clock Saturday.

National Surgical Institute.

Two of the surgeons of this notable institute will visit Memphis, Tennessee, October 26, 27 and 28, 1877, stopping at the Worsham house. They will have with them a fine outfit of braces and surgical appliances, and will be prepared to treat all kinds of deformities and chronic diseases, such as club feet, hip disease, spinal disease, paralysis, piles and fistula, catarrh, private diseases, diseases of the eye, etc. For full particulars, address National Surgical Institute, Atlanta, Georgia.

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Coasting in a Wherry.

Portland (Me) *Argus*, September 14th: Mr. William Tryon, of Brooklyn, New York, arrived at Bar harbor last Saturday in a lap streak wherry, which he had rowed over a course of seven hundred miles. The voyage commenced at Yonkers, on the Hudson, Monday, July 30th, and safely ended at Bar harbor at half-past four o'clock Saturday afternoon. The above distance was accomplished in a round-bottomed boat only twenty-seven inches wide, and drawing but three inches of water. The craft weighs one hundred pounds when not loaded, and something under three hundred pounds with the owner and all his effects on board. The Flash has an addition unusual to rowing boats in the shape of a center-board, which, while it does not perceptibly better the equilibrium, has proved of great value by providing a straight course against the wind. This boat carries a light, a couple of poles fore and aft for its colors, and has a miniature marine clock, compass, charts, marine glass, water-tight locker for clothes, and other necessaries. When all these things are stowed away there is but little room to spare, and the solitary rower just fits into his place and no more.

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The Most Odious of Men,

Cincinnati *Enquirer*: John Sherman will come home to vote. No one to stop his salary; no one to chop his official head off. He had better vote and do all he can to save himself. He is to-day the most odious man to the people in the country. It is he who has driven President Hayes to his resumption plans, and he knows the people of his own State will give him a vote of censure. He is simply striving to make that censure as light as possible.

MORTON'S

Condition Improving—He Feels as if he Could Get Right Up on his Feet—What the Doctors Say.

Special Dispatch to the St. Louis Globe Democrat.]

RICHMOND, IND., September 25.—Senator Morton seems better to-day than he has been for ten days past. Dr. Thompson feels confident of his slow recovery. The immediate cause of the senator's last relapse was a chill. The senator himself says he feels like getting on his feet if he had half a chance. He feels more encouraged, and speaks as though he thought he will yet appear in Washington. As yet he has taken no solid food of any kind, and, as a consequence, is still very weak. He is now afflicted with a sore on his hip, which prevents his sitting up. Considering the length of time he has been prostrated, he is tolerably strong, and feels more like himself to-day than at any time since his illness. Dr. Thompson thinks the President's visit has had a very encouraging effect upon the senator. Governor Burbank and Colonel Holloway also feel more hopeful as to his speedy recovery than at any time heretofore. The weakness which he has been subject to has left him entirely. Your correspondent has just called at Governor Burbank's residence and learned the true facts as to the senator's condition. Dr. Thompson thinks some of the papers are entirely partisan as to their publications in regard to the senator's condition, especially those in the Indianapolis *Sentinel*, which are purely for political purposes, with a desire that they may prove true. Should the senator's appetite return, and no further relapse occur, there can be no doubt that he will rapidly improve as regards strength, but the prevailing impression is that the senator's useful days are over.

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A Windfall.

Louisville *Commercial*: Mr. M. Muldoon, one of our most worthy citizens, has, we learn, recently inherited, through the death of an uncle, a large estate in Texas, consisting of about sixty thousand acres of valuable land, nearly one-third of which is located in Galveston county. Mr. Muldoon's uncle, Miguel Muldoon, when a young priest, was sent to Texas by the authorities of the Catholic church in Spain, nearly half a century ago, to establish missions in the then far-distant Spanish territory, and received a grant of a large tract of land from the Spanish government. He remained, during the long years that followed, in the Territory and State, and performed a great work in the Catholic church, dying a few months ago, over ninety years of age. The estate reverted to Mr. Muldoon's father, now living in Ireland, and now one hundred and six years of age, who transferred the vast estate to his son, who has recently returned from Texas, where he has been taking the necessary legal steps in regard to the property. Mr. Muldoon will continue in the marble business in this city, assuming in a short time the entire interest of the present firm. The many friends of this gentleman will heartily congratulate him on his good fortune. He passed so manfully through heavy reverses in the past few years, showing such pluck and energy and determination, that we are only too glad that his future has been made secure by his recent inheritance.

Young Men's Christian Association.

COLUMBUS, O., September 27.—The eleventh annual convention of the Young Men's christian association assembled here this evening, about fifty delegates were present. The evening session was devoted to speeches of welcome.

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